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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I chose Sonic.net because they represent a competitive alternative to AT&T and Verizon - two companies I very much try to avoid. Sonic.net provides amazing service and is local. It represents the kind of local business that makes our country work well.

My business runs on broadband and I have my land line in case of an emergency (earthquake) both through Sonic.net.

Please ensure that this smaller player is able to continue to compete with the giants by providing high quality service to its customer base.

This is exactly the sort of issue we need you to protect. Please defend us from the giants like AT&T and Verizon.

Gratefully,
Jennifer in San Francisco

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